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WEARINESS FROM WAR MAKES STRIKE GENUINE

Report that Riots Were "Stage
Managed" by Government
Is Discredited

INCREASING SCARCITY OF
FOOD ADDS TO UNEASINESS

Longing For Peace is Accent-
uated by Speeches of Lloyd
George and Wilson

London, Jan. 23.—The Austrian strike troubles are genuine according to conviction expressed in authoritative circles today. First suspicion here that they were "stage managed" by the government itself was dissipating rapidly.

According to the most authentic news reaching here, the general move in Emperor Karl's monarchy is due to the public's weariness with the war, to widespread dissatisfaction with Teuton manipulations at Brest-Litovsk, and to increasing scarcity of food.

The public's longing for peace has been recently accentuated by the boldly democratic war aims proclaimed by Premier Lloyd-George and by President Wilson. The plain citizenry of the dual monarchy, reading these terms, can find little in them to support the frantic pleas of the German junkers and militarists that the allies seek to divide the central empires and that the main aim of Germany's enemies is conquest.

The widespread growth of this sort of public feeling, in the opinion of well-informed officials, is bound to make resumption of the Brest-Litovsk peace negotiations a ticklish matter for the central powers. Of actual news of developments of strikes the Austrian censorship today permitted only the most fragmentary reports. Enough leaked through, however, to indicate spread of the industrial tie-up to Prague and other cities.

Copies of the Vienna Arbeiter Zeitung, received in Switzerland, contain appeals to workers to allow resumption of railway traffic, but the editorial frankly exults in the success achieved by the strikers.

"We hope the government understands," the editorial asserted, "that the will of the workers is a power which it cannot contest without endangering itself."

M. Litvinoff, Bolshevik ambassador to Great Britain, in his speech before the Labor congress at Nottingham, declared "we can already hear the rumblings of a storm in Austria from the results at Brest-Litovsk."

TWO WASHTENAW BOYS ARE ON WAY TO THE WAR ZONE

HOWARD WEISSINGER AND
CHALMERS ALEXANDER
WITH CUSTER MEN WHO
HAVE SAILED

Two hundred Camp Custer men are today on their way to France. Two of the number, Howard Weissinger and Chalmers G. Alexander are Wash tenaw county men. These two who are from Ann Arbor, have the distinction of being among the first drafted men in the state to be sent over. Letters were written Sunday, Jan. 13 saying, "We don't know just when we go but we're sure the time is not far distant."

Each described a sight-seeing trip to New York the day before. The boys were taken up the elevated railway to 85th street, Central Park and its wonderful Art Museum, Grant's tomb on Riverside Drive were visited and then a detour was made to Broadway. Later the Brooklyn bridge, and the Goddess of Liberty, etc., came in for inspection as did some of the famous old churches in Lower New York.

On Tuesday cards were written to the home folks which read, "We are all packed up. Good-bye."

Each man was hoping only that he might remain on Uncle Sam's soil until the arrival on Friday evening of 3500 soldiers from the south, among the number being Ypsilanti's military company.

The drafted men left Tuesday evening and the 107th Field Signal Battalion did not reach Camp Merritt, Tonawdy, N. J., until Friday evening. It was from this place that the Wash tenaw and other Camp Custer men embarked.

Mr. Weissinger is a resident of 716 E. Catherine street, Ann Arbor and his mother is named on his recognition medal.

Mr. Alexander is a son of Clay W. Alexander. Both boys are in the munition truck company and their duties will keep them in close touch with the firing line.

WAS FORMERLY A LOCAL RESIDENT

Death of Miss Martin is Announced
In Letter Received Here
Funeral Today

A letter received Tuesday from Buffalo, N. Y., told of the death of Miss Lucenia Martin, aged about 30 years, daughter of Wm. Martin, a former River street resident.

The cause of Miss Martin's death, although not given, is believed to have been heart trouble. Death came Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Funeral services were held this afternoon at two o'clock with interment in Buffalo.

The deceased is a niece of Mrs. Jesse Colver of Bell street and she is survived by her father, one sister, Mrs. Wm. Durr and two brothers, Wm. Martin, Jr., and Walter Martin, all of Buffalo. The Martin family moved from Ypsilanti about 20 years ago.

M'ADOO BEFORE THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE MEN

REPRESENTATIVES WANT TO
KNOW WHAT HAS BEEN AC-
COMPLISHED IN TRAF-
FIC RELIEF

Washington, Jan. 23.—In light of the growing coal crisis developing along the eastern seaboard, Director-General McAdoo was called before the house interstate commerce committee today.

Before opening consideration of the railroad control bill the house wants complete information on what has been accomplished and what is in view toward relieving the coal famine under federal control.

YPSILANTI COAL IS CONFISCATED

CAR IS TAKEN TUESDAY AT MAN-
CHESTER; MORE ON THE
WAY TO RELIEVE LOCAL
SITUATION

Olds and Day state today that a car of coal shipped to them was confiscated Tuesday at Manchester so that they are forced to delay delivery a few days longer than anticipated.

To allay anxiety, however, they assure patrons that more is on the way here and that it may be expected at any time. Shipments expected are of both hard and soft coal.

LOCAL MAN IS CALLED TO SERVE

MAJOR HENRY O. BERNHARDT
ASKED TO REPORT IN
WASHINGTON FOR MILI-
TARY ASSIGNMENT

Major Henry O. Bernhardt, 215 Hamilton street received a telegram today advising that he is assigned to active service and asking him to proceed at once to Washington, D. C. and report on arrival to chief of ordnance, 1330 F. street, northwest for duty. Travel directed as necessary in military service.

Mr. Bernhardt has been until recently, factory manager of the Har-roum Motors corporation in Wayne and was one of four men selected from this vicinity for army service.

Mr. Bernhardt was appointed a major in the ordnance reserve corps January 16 and he wired his acceptance of the appointment immediately. Just where, or of what nature his work will be, is not known but it is presumed that he will be in charge of munitions work somewhere in this section of the country.

Mr. Bernhardt came here about a year ago from Detroit and has one son, Paul in service now at Camp Custer.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Grain opening: Corn: Jan., no sales; March unchanged; May down 1-4.
Oats: Jan., up 1-8; March up 1-8; May unchanged.
Provisions: Steady.

SIGNAL CORPS LEAVE N. J. CAMP

NEGOTIATIONS MAY BE BROKEN OFF BY RUSSIANS

Forecast is Made in Bolshevik
Organs Throughout the
Nation Today

REAL ATTITUDE OF
GERMANY IS UNMASKED

Such is Feeling of Delegates,
Victory Over Ukrainians Is
Claimed

By Joseph Shaplen
Petrograd, Jan. 23.—Breaking off of all peace negotiations at Brest-Litovsk was forecast in all the Bolshevik newspapers today. Their unanimity would appear to indicate this prediction came from authoritative circles.

The Bolshevik view is that the only good accomplished by the negotiations has been to unmask the real imperialistic nature of the enemy's demands. According to comment here nothing more can possibly be expected from the discussions.

Both the Pravda and Isvestia today bitterly assailed German Foreign Minister Kuehlmann's "treacherous dual policy."

Official Bolshevik reports today claimed victories over the Ukrainian Rada troops at Poltava and the occupation of that city by the Red Guards. On the South Ukrainian front, further advances have been registered, Novgorod-Seversk captured and progress made toward Bachmach. The Ukrainians are retreating. A decisive battle is expected shortly. The Bolsheviks have already taken Sarna, Achitka and Troitsk.

Out of respect to the memory of Friday's victims of assassins, whose funerals are today, the Bolshevik government postponed a scheduled demonstration at the Winter Palace and Smolny institute.

The Bolshevik government has been informed that the general peace strike at Vienna as due to the stand adopted by the central powers at Brest-Litovsk.

SIEZE WEAPONS FOR REBELLION

TWENTY HEAVILY ARMED MEN
RAID HOUSES NEAR GALA-
WAY, ACCORDING TO
DISPATCHES

Dublin, Jan. 23.—Declaring they wanted weapons "for the next rebellion," twenty heavily armed and disguised men raided several houses near Galway and seized all arms and ammunition, according to reports received here today.

THREE AMERICANS DIE IN ACTION

GEN. PERSHING REPORTS SEVEN
OTHER DEATHS FROM NAT-
URAL CAUSES IN
CAMP

Washington, Jan. 23.—Three Americans were killed in action with the Germans yesterday, General Pershing reported to the war department today.

The dead are:
Private Albert Cook, West Almond, N. Y.
Private Harry V. Garman, Catawba, Virginia.

Private Leo E. Radi, Cleveland, O. The Pershing report carried only the bare fact that the men were "killed in action."

The report indicates that clashes between American boys and the Germans are becoming more frequent, one having been reported killed Sunday in reports received here yesterday.

It is assumed they were minor patrol skirmishes developed along the sector in which the Sammips are training.

Private Ovid Herrick, Franklin, Kentucky, who was announced as having died of gunshot wounds on the 22nd, it is thought probable was wounded in the action Sunday.
Seven deaths from natural causes also were reported by Pershing.

According to Word Received
Here Today They Embarked
From Camp Merritt
Tuesday

According to telegrams received here by relatives of members of the Ypsilanti Signal Corps, the men left Camp Merritt, New Jersey, Tuesday, presumably for some French port.

Mrs. C. G. Schrepper whose husband and a son are members of the company sent a telegram that she was about to visit them in their New Jersey quarters. Her telegram was returned to her today and word came that the boys were leaving.

While no definite information regarding the move nor their intended destination has been received it seems quite probable that the company has followed others in sailing for some French port and will undoubtedly be very near the scenes of action within the next three months.

AUTO MEN IN CONFERENCE ON NEW RULE TODAY

REPORT THAT MANUFACTURE
OF PLEASURE CARS WILL
BE STOPPED AROUSES
ANXIETY

Detroit, Jan. 23.—Representatives of local motor and banking interests have gone to Washington to confer with Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo and Fuel Commissioner Garfield relative to an apparently well founded report that the administration contemplated curtailment of the production of passenger automobiles on the ground that they are luxuries.

Such action, if taken without ample warning will, it is claimed, seriously affect business generally. Several weeks would be required for motor concerns to transform their plants for making munitions.

FIFTY HURT IN CAR COLLISION

INTERURBANS MEET NEAR MA-
SON, NONE OF INJURED BE-
LIEVED IN CRITICAL
CONDITION

Mason, Mich., Jan. 23.—More than 50 were injured in a collision between two interurban cars near here last night. None of the injured are believed to be seriously hurt. Deputy Sheriff John Kratz of Syracuse, N. Y., was bruised.

TAX MEN HERE FOR ASSESSMENTS

TWO DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVES SPEND TUESDAY
AND WEDNESDAY AT
YPSI POSTOFFICE

Two federal internal revenue men, Mr. Faucher, representing the district internal revenue department at Detroit, and Otto Haab, of Ann Arbor, special agent, spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the postoffice, Ypsilanti, unraveling the intricate workings of the new national income tax law for people of this city and vicinity and making collections where desired.

Despite the fact that the office of Postmaster McCann, where the men were on duty, was besieged all day Tuesday and yesterday from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. by citizens seeking light on just what the income tax law means and as to what exemptions if any are allowed, it was impossible to serve all comers in the two days. They departed Wednesday evening just the same.

From here these two men went to Saline where they are working today. Last week they spent four days in the same work at Ann Arbor. It is not obligatory that blanks be made out before these men, or that income taxes be paid them. Blanks may be filed with the Internal Revenue Collector at Detroit before March 1, and income taxes paid there.

THE WEATHER

Lower Michigan—Snow tonight and Thursday, warmer.
Upper Michigan—Snow tonight and Thursday, warmer tonight; warmer Thursday east portion.

DEMOCRATS BRING WAVERING ONES BACK INTO LINE

"Without Harmony the War
Will Be Lost," They Say,
Storm May Be Tempered

COMPROMISE IS IN
SIGHT, T. R. HELPS

Presence of Former Leader
Switches Democrats to
Wilson

By L. C. Martin
Washington, Jan. 23.—Under lash that "without harmony the war will be lost," democratic leaders are whipping into line party legislators wavering on the Chamberlain "war cabinet" bill.

Today it appeared likely that the storm, which has broken between the White House and congress on the measure, may be tempered with compromise. The presence of Theodore Roosevelt on the battle ground has done much to consolidate the democrats back of President Wilson's desires on the pending legislation. There was even talk of a "got together" meeting shortly between the president and Chamberlain.

The telling argument advanced by the democrats is that a bill, as repugnant as this one is to the administration would, if passed, hamper war efforts even though an efficient measure itself.

Meantime, however, Chamberlain is prepared for a real fight.

Backed by letters of soldiers' mothers and fathers about camp conditions; armed with data on what was regarded as misleading senate testimony of Secretary of War Baker, Chamberlain proposes to go ahead with his war cabinet bill and his compulsory training law. Popular support of these measures grew, despite the administration's very strenuous efforts to kill them, particularly the war cabinet bill.

The fight will develop in earnest tomorrow over reference of the war cabinet bill to committee. Senator Swanson, for the administration, will try to have it sent back to both the military and naval committees. Were it sent back to the military committee alone, action on it would be favorable. With the double reference, it would be caught in the jam, hence if Swanson wins, the bill may die.

Swanson's move to refer it will be the signal for Chamberlain to go over the top. He has his bayonets ready and he proposes to submit data tending to prove that the president has been misled into thinking war conditions are better than they really are.

He also will submit evidence in an effort to prove that Secretary Baker incorrectly testified before the military committee as to camp clothing shortages. The committee probe testimony will be on every senator's desk as supporting evidence of Chamberlain's charges and as reasons for support of his bill.

Chamberlain plans to submit proof that the war department, as at present organized, has failed to meet the situation. He and his supporters argue, this is the sole reason they are advocating a change that will coordinate and centralize authority and provide legal authority to get things done in the place of volunteer advice and suggestion.

The administration forces will lay emphasis on harmony and on the fact that the war cabinet as proposed, would have direction of naval policies. They will argue that the navy has proved itself critic proof, and hence should not be meddled with. In this they will be supported by some republican senators.

This point is likely to cause the defeat of the war cabinet measure in the senate where it will take practically all the republicans, plus five or six democrats to pass it.

Democrats, who are for the measure, include Chamberlain, Hitchcock, McKellar, Hardwick, Gore and Reed. Senator King, Utah, looked on as likely to support it, is non-committal. Senator Johnson, California, is one of the few senators who think the war cabinet bill stands a chance of passage. He will vote for it. Senator Borah, also a strong advocate of it, believes it would be rendered non-effective by administration opposition even were it passed over the president's veto.

That the president would veto it if passed by congress, is considered certain, and even its most optimistic friends agree that it could not be passed over the veto.

The vote tomorrow on committee reference is expected to be a test practically determining the bill's fate. Ignoring the president's expressed

McADOO URGED TO RELIEVE CONGESTION

disapproval of the military investigation, Chamberlain has called Surgeon General Gorgas, and from his testimony he expects to gather fresh evidence of the need for better organization.

Commenting today on the president's charge that the military inquiry had called from their duties officials engaged in vital tasks, Chamberlain pointed out that General Crozier and General Sharpe both had been relieved of their bureau jobs before testifying and had become members of the departmental war council. Secretary Baker was the only one called away from his duties, Chamberlain said, and Baker lost comparatively little time.

Chamberlain is preparing to bring in his universal military training bill, which he discussed yesterday with Col. Roosevelt.

Republicans and democrats in both houses will caucus today to consider their action on the Chamberlain bills.

Col. Roosevelt has thrown the full weight of his influence into the fight, conferring until late last night with republican leaders in both branches.

WOMEN OF CITY PREPARE FOR SERVICE

MEETING IS HELD THIS MORN-
ING AT LITERARY CLUB
HOUSE TO LAUNCH
PLANS

A meeting of women was held this morning at the Literary club house at the call of the local chairman of the work of the Council of National Defense, Mrs. E. B. Clizbe, for the purpose of making plans for a school of instruction to be held here. This school is to be in preparation for the work of registration of women for patriotic service which will take place in March.

Sessions of the school will be held semi-weekly beginning Wednesday, January 30, at 4:30 o'clock at the Literary club house. The second will follow Thursday evening and will be held at the new high school at 7 p. m. and the school will continue according to this schedule. Members of every woman's organization in the city are urged to attend the sessions.

Mrs. E. L. Calkins and Miss Caroline Bowen, who attended the school of instruction recently held in Detroit, spoke at length of the plans and methods which are being adopted.

GERMAN U BOATS ARE RECALLED

NEW PLAN OF CAMPAIGN IS BE-
ING ARRANGED, OLD CRAFT
TO BE REPLACED WITH
NEW

Paris, Jan. 23.—Germany is recalling her submarines to their base preparatory to adopting a new plan of campaign, according to reports reaching here today. One suggestion was that the older submarines were to be replaced by new armored U-boat cruisers, armed with large guns.

FIVE HELD FOR JEWELRY THEFT

SEVENTEEN SUSPECTS ROUNDED
UP AFTER STORE IS CLEAN-
ED OF VALUABLES

Detroit, Jan. 23.—Of 17 suspects arrested following the theft of \$65000 worth of stock from the Dewey jewelry establishment Tuesday five are held by the police today. These were all stopping at the same hotel and described themselves as follows: Wm. Kramer, 20, taxicab driver, Toledo; Henry Connors, 27, concrete worker, St. Paul, Minn.; Jack Carroll, 23, waiter, Detroit; Doris Grey, 21, telephone operator, Toledo; Pearl Kelly, houseworker, Toledo. Pending investigation they are charged with being fugitives from justice.

SIX PERCENT NET TO INVESTORS
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Prodded by a Threatened Crisis
In Shipbuilding, May Take
Drastic Steps

SHUTDOWN OF STEEL PLANTS SEEMS INEVITABLE

Thousands of Plates Lost in
Transit, Supplies Are Nearly
Exhausted

Washington, Jan. 23.—Prodded by a threatened crisis in America's ship building program and increasingly serious conditions at ports and inland terminals, Director-General McAdoo today was urged to take more drastic steps than the National railroad may break congestion.

Complete shutdown of steel shipbuilding plants appears inevitable soon unless the railroad relieves the shortage in ship plates, officials admit.

One thousand cars of plates, practically all of which had been in transit since December 20, and before, are storm-bound. Trace of hundreds of the cars has been lost by traffic men of the shipping board. Meanwhile, steel supplies in the construction yards are diminishing rapidly.

In nearly all of the seventeen shipbuilding yards where steel ships are under construction, some men are idle as a result of cold and lack of material.

The shipping program is far behind schedule and new delays in obtaining tonnage mean more difficulties in keeping up the stream of troops and supplies to the war zone, it was explained.

Should the plants be forced to suspend operation, thousands of employees will be idle with the government paying the bill, officials said.

In these circumstances, the fuel administration has appealed to McAdoo to call for a general embargo on all freight shipment aside from that of vital war supplies and fuel.

Although the priorities section of the Garfield order, covering preferential coal yard shipments is still effective and will remain so until otherwise ordered, no great headway can be made unless the rails are relieved of thousands of cars of unessential freight, Administrator Garfield believes.

Continued cold weather today brot with it reports of critical suffering in many communities and a situation at some points worse than that which existed before the Garfield order went into effect five days ago.

The only marked relief was that accorded ships at a number of ports. Bunkering was materially increased during the industrial suspension.

Further suspension orders are in prospect. It is pointed out that Washington's birthday falls on Friday, February 22, with Saturday, a half holiday and Sunday and Monday workless days anyhow. Urgent requests to industry and business to close entirely on those four days would serve to give another breathing spell at what is usually the bad weather zenith in the east.

Lincoln's birthday falls on Tuesday, Feb. 12, and a four day suspension might be brought about then with less annoyance than the recent one, it is suggested. Both of these dates are being considered as timely for launching another general coal restriction order.

The railroad administration is waiting for an expression from the country. If the demand is insistent Director-General McAdoo may take drastic steps immediately to pull the railroad system out from under the mass of freight piled at every point.

Addition of 200 locomotives from Baldwin shops within thirty days will help the situation, the railroad administration declared.

These locomotives were built for European service, but cannot be shipped now because of lack of tonnage.

If a complete embargo is not ordered, partial embargoes and general diversion of freight to enable coal to be rushed through the necessary points will be put into effect. Passenger service may be taken off from some lines entirely and the trackage and rolling stock devoted to freight needs. Such action would accomplish much on roads situated as the Pennsylvania, which feeds large industrial centers.

Zoning of coal shipments in accordance with the Peabody plan by which coal would be held for consumption in the vicinity where it is mined, is a probable step. Elimination of cross hauling is being planned under McAdoo's direction.

PRES. MCKENNY ADDRESSES STUDENTS IN ASSEMBLY, MUSICIANS ENTERTAIN

President Chas. McKenny spoke on "War Problems" Tuesday at the Normal Sophomore assembly. James Breakey and Russell Gee played pleasing selections.

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LEST WE FORGET PATRIOTISM
AT HOME

Obsession of mind and effort on war work abroad is more than likely to tempt us to forget the constructive and reconstructive needs at home, or at least, to neglect to give them adequate attention. We really

have greater need of patriotic devotion to the cause of civic betterment than in times of peace because we must be more efficient all along the line if we are to stand the strain of war with maximum success. We have fewer here to help in this work because many and probably more of the public spirited than at other times have responded to the call to the colors. We need to stress municipal efficiency at home for the same reason that we need to stress individual efficiency at home—to meet the greatly augmented needs across the sea and the commensurate demand for maximum per capita output at home. Patriotism calls us to fight at home for a better city, state and nation for the boys to come back to and as our bit in meeting the great reconstructive program, which will follow the war.

Dr. John Harvey Kellogg, editor of Good Health, in the January issue says under the editorial caption, "Our Greatest National Peril."

"One of the great lessons which the exigencies of war are teaching us is the close relationship between sin and sanitation; that the decalogue is in fact a sanitary code and that loose morals weaken the firing line more certainly than do enemy shells and bullets.

"Sexual immorality, according to the statistics gathered from military hospitals, has crippled many more men at the front than have gas bombs, high explosives, and all the infernal instruments of destruction hurled by the guns of the enemy. All nations at war have been compelled to recognize the fact that immorality is in an army the chief source of inefficiency and sin the major cause of sickness.

"But notwithstanding the awful situation in the army, statistics of venereal disease among civilians have revealed the astounding fact that syphilis and gonorrhea are more common among the civil population than in the army. In fact, it is from the civil population that the soldiers get their infection. If civil authorities did their duty, soldiers would not be exposed to infection.

"Now that the facts are known, the opportunity has arrived for a great moral disinfection movement. A general moral housecleaning of the whole country is demanded. The work has begun and will have the support of all right-minded people. The State of Oregon has started the work in good earnest. California has made a good beginning, and Michigan and a few other states are beginning to wake up.

"A well informed public will insist that venereal disease shall be treated exactly like any other infectious or contagious disease that is dangerous to the public health; in other words, that every case of syphilis or gonorrhea shall be reported and isolated or quarantined until cured.

"Brothels flourish unmolested in every city and every one is a veritable incubator of disease. Diseased men and women from these places and because of them make infectious contact with us in a thousand ways. Men with this disease marry and no questions are asked until a diseased child is born. We make prudery a virtue; it is a crime.

"The time has come for society to disinfect itself. Brothels and clandestine prostitutes must be suppressed. The Ten Commandments must become a recognized part of our sanitary code. The social leper must be quarantined. Brothel diseases must be excluded from decent society."

MRS. CURTIS FUNERAL HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Service For Former Ypsilanti Resident is Held in San Francisco

Funeral services for the late Mrs. A. H. Curtis of this city were held this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in San Francisco, Cal., and interment was beside the body of her husband in Woodlawn cemetery. Mr. Curtis died about two years ago.

Mrs. Curtis was killed by a motorcycle which struck her as she was crossing a street.

FORMER NORMAL STUDENT MARRIED MONDAY IN ANN ARBOR, IN SERVICE

Miss Iva Wilson and Robert Carpenter, a former Normalite, were married at Ann Arbor Monday afternoon at St. Thomas' parsonage. Miss Nina Gibau and George Kline were their attendants. Mr. Carpenter and his bride will take a short eastern trip before he returns to his duties at Camp Custer.

GUEST HERE IS WIFE OF CAPTAIN WHO HAS BEEN INJURED AT THE FRONT

Mrs. Lewis Main and son Hilton of Alberta, Can., are guests of Mrs. John Z. Gault. Mrs. Main is the wife of Captain Main who is home on a furlough from military duties in France. He was injured by a bursting shell which shot away his knee cap and he is partially deaf.

STRIKE LEADER UNDER ARREST

CHARLES KRATIGER WILL BE
SENT TO CHICAGO FOR TRIAL,
CONSPIRACY CHARGED

Patersen, N. J., Jan. 23.—Charles Kratiger, 28, was arrested today at I. W. W. headquarters and will be sent to Chicago for trial under a blanket indictment, which charges him with conspiracy against the United States government in connection with William D. Haywood.

Kratiger, according to local police, was one of the leaders in strike plots all over the country. He was one of the ring leaders in the 1913 strike riots here and was arrested several times.

RAIDING PARTIES BUSY SAYS HAIG

ATTEMPTED ENEMY RAID IS
PULSED SOUTH OF LABAS-
SEE, THREE MISSING

London, Jan. 23.—"Southeast of St. Quentin there were encounters between hostile raiding parties and patrols," Field Marshal Haig reported today. "Three of our men are missing."

"South of La Bassée an attempted enemy raid was driven off."

BREAKS ANTI-BATH RULE BUT SHUNS BED

Mister Kabenawwoyence Visits
Chicago at 103 and Wants to See
The Autos

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Mister Kabenawwoyence arose from the nice soft floor of his room in the La Salle hotel today and sallied forth to give the village the once over. He didn't sleep in a bed because it's hard to break the habits of 103 years.

Kaben—etc., which is Chippewa for "wrinkled meat," came to Chicago from his home in Cass Lake, Minn., to attend the automobile show. He took a bath last night—the first in three years—and admitted he may take another if he lives to be 133.

COAL SITUATION LITTLE RELIEVED

Conditions Reported No Better in
Indiana Than Before Garfield
Move

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 23.—Traffic conditions in Indiana today are in the same congested condition that they were five days ago when Dr. Garfield's closing order went into effect.

The coal movement has not been speeded up.

This was the statement today of J. W. Coneys, federal railroad representative in Indiana.

WOOD REPLACES COAL IN MANY HOMES HERE

Is Rather Expensive But Not Wholly
Unsatisfactory According
To Reports

Many Residents unable to get coal are resorting to the burning of wood which in few instances is proving satisfactory although expensive.

One resident has figured that at the cost of \$4.50 per cord, which is the price being usually asked, it costs about \$36 per month to heat the average home by use of wood. It takes four cords, he says to equal in heat value, one ton of coal.

UNDELIVERED LETTERS

Letters advertised for the week ending Jan. 19:

Ladies' List—Arndt, Clara; Dunn, Mrs. J. C.; Grahl, Miss Lily; Horn, Mrs.; Schwartz, Mrs. J. B.; Wells, Mrs. Eva G.

Gentlemen's List—Abbott, Lewis; Hindely, A. L.; Knight, Mr. Arthur; Kline, Mr. Jas.; Reed, Mr. A. P.; Richards, Master Howard; Smith, Wm. R.; Williams, C. J.

J. F. McCANN, P. M.

INKSTER

Frank Bird and son Wilford of Highland spent the week with the former's brother, Maurice Bird.

Harold Wilson has received his appointment as rural mail carrier from the Inkster post office. Roy Coleman, temporary carrier, has resigned. John Brest has been named for jurymen for the January term of the circuit court.

Rev. awe of earborn and Warren VanVlear of Inkster called at the home of Mr and Mrs M. Butler Sunday.

Charles Downing of Romulus and Mr McGinity of Detroit were the guests of M. C. Bird one day last week.

Mrs Thos. Ellis of Wayne spent Sunday with Inkster friends. Clara Butler of Wayne spent Tuesday with relatives near Inkster.

To read the store ads and to visit the stores is to run into the temptation to buy—and the best way to meet such a temptation is, usually, to yield to it.

RESTAURANTS OPENED TO AVOID RIOTS

NEW ORDER IS ISSUED WHEN
FUEL COMMISSIONER IS AD-
VISED OF THE DANGER

Detroit, Jan. 23.—Warned by Police Commissioner Couzens that food riots were imminent on the part of night workers unable to obtain food, State Fuel Administrator Prudden has granted restaurants in cities of more than 100,000 population to remain open 24 hours a day.

Prudden declined to act on a recommendation from the local fuel administrator, but when Couzens reported several minor outbreaks and predicted more serious trouble the concession was granted.

The state regulations are otherwise unchanged.

NOTICE

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8:26, 10:26, 12:26 a. m., 2:26,
4:26, 6:26 p. m.

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LOCALS

EAST BOUND—4:28 (from car
house); 5:03 (from car house)
6:00, 7:10, 7:35 a. m., and every
two hours to 7:35 p. m., 8:35 p. m.,
9:35 p. m., 11:20 p. m.

WEST BOUND—To Jackson,
8:40 a. m., 7:18 a. m., 9:50 p. m.
and 11:50 p. m.

To Ann Arbor Only—5:08 a. m.,
6:08 a. m., 6:28 a. m., 8:11 a. m.,
8:20 a. m., 9:20 a. m., 10:20 a. m.,
11:20 a. m., and every two hours
to 7:20 p. m., also 2:20 p. m.,
8:20 p. m., 10:50 p. m., 11:15 p. m.,
and 12:40 a. m.

Saline Division—Leave Ypsilanti
7:00 a. m., 8:45 a. m. and every
two hours until 6:45 p. m., also
8:30 p. m., 10:50 p. m., 11:50 p. m.,
and 12:50 a. m.

Cars connect at Wayne for
Plymouth and Northville.

TRAINS GOING WEST—

k*12:58 a. m., 7:26, c*8:38, s*8:55 a. m. *1:05
p. m., *2:17, 4:58, *5:49, *10:27 p. m.

TRAINS GOING EAST—*5:52 a. m., *7:16, *10:07, *10:15, *11:17 a. m.

*2:50 p. m., 4:15, *5:14, *6:18, *8:50, *9:55 p. m., *12:14 a. m.

LAKE SHORE—Trains West: 8:25 a. m., *6:20 p. m. Trains East:
*10:15 a. m., 4:50 p. m.

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steam heated, well lighted with six
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office suite. Balance of floor occupied
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For Rent—Two heated and furnished
rooms for light housekeeping. 422
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For Sale—Car of bulk salt on track
about last of February. Call A.
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Owner soon to leave the city will
sell his beautiful home on the popular
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House in No. 1 condition, wide
frontage, electricity and gas, full
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nice bath, kitchen with pantry; hard
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Wanted—Washings to do at home.
Inquire 27 Race St. 114tf

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Old False Teeth Wanted—Don't matter
if broken. I pay \$2 to \$15 per
set. Also cash for old gold, silver,
and broken jewelry. Send by parcel
post and receive check by return
mail. Will hold goods 10
days for senders approval of my
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Wanted—Woman or girl for house-
work to stay nights. Must be able
to cook. Mrs. Frank Newton,
Phone 615. 124

Wanted—On or before March first,
a sober industrious man exempt
from draft to work on farm by
month. Good wages to right party.
Address Box 24, Ypsilanti
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Wanted—A first class punch and die
maker. Apply Crossman Stamp-
ing Co. 125*

WIARDS

Mrs. Anna Beach is taking care of
Mrs. Babcock who is ill at her home
in Denton.

Ira Beach is spending a few days
with Miss Lydia Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sinkule of
Ypsilanti and Julius Wagner of Detroit
spent Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. George Freeman.

Word has been received from Carl
Smith that he is at present located at
Newport News, Vir.

A wreck on the Michigan Central
railroad occurred Monday morning
back of the Beyer farm in which two
flat cars were smashed.

Mr. and Mrs. Crandell spent Sunday
with Mr. and Mrs. D. Z. Curtis.

DeWight Foster of Detroit spent
the week end with his cousin, Morgan
Wiard. He reported that all his parents
had to burn in their furnace the
past two days was old papers.

John Keller returned Thursday
from Ohio. As he was passing thru
one of the smaller towns he saw a
great many carloads of coal standing
on the sidetracks.

Ralph Ream and James Beach
drove to Wayne Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Voorhees spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Foster.

Lee Colby went to Chelsea Sunday
and bought two carloads of apples.

Cuy Hart left for Detroit last week
for an indefinite stay.

George Wiard is staying with his
son Will, during the cold weather.

The Spencer Literary club will
meet with Mrs. Grace Tedder on
River street Thursday afternoon.

The Superior Sewing club meets
with Mrs. Will Wiard and Miss Hat-
tie Casey Wednesday for dinner.

The Ypsilanti Farmers' Pedic club
will meet Thursday evening.

The farmers are drawing ice from
Walter Wiard's pond which is 22
inches thick and weighing 250 pounds
per cake.

AMERICAN DEFENSE

SOCIETY WARNING

Every German or Austrian in
the United States, unless known
by years of association to be absolutely
loyal, should be treated as a potential spy.

Be on the alert. Keep your
eyes and ears open. Take nothing
for granted. Energy and
alertness may save the life of
your son, your husband or your
brother.

The enemy is engaged in making
war in this country, in transmitting
news to Berlin and in spreading
peace propaganda as well as lies
about the condition and morale of
American military forces.

Whenever any suspicious act or
disloyal word comes to your notice
communicate at once with the police
department or with the local office
of the Department of Justice.

Police Headquarters—Telephone
187.

Department of Justice—Tele-
phone 563.

FOR SALE

1917 Dodge Touring Car, equipped
with extra tire, casing and
tube and bumper. You can
buy this car at a bargain. Also
1916 "Reo" mechanically perfect,
with practically new tires.
Inquire at

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TUBS ARE MOVED TO AID SOLDIERS

IMPORTANT ITEM IN ARMY LIFE
IS THE LAUNDRY AND GOOD
CARE IS TAKEN OF IT

With the American Expeditionary
Army, France, Dec. 18.—(By Mail)—
Uncle Sam is moving in his wash-
tubs to wash the under-shirts and
things that come back from the
trenches.

Wash-tubs are the main thing in
the big salvage base which is just
being finished in a city far back from
the lines. There are also shoe-repair
machines and machines for darning
socks and patching breeches.

The Quartermaster took a broad
look at the future in planning this
base. He visualized hundreds of
thousands of Sammies in the mud
and filth of the trenches—battalions
coming out every day wearing the
same clothes, down to the last stitch
that they wore when they marched
in. He saw that these outcoming
battalions would need hot baths and
clean clothes as much as rest and
recreation.

They're going to get 'em—baths
and clothes.

Back in the cities, "salvage" denotes
a careening red fire wagon piled
high with water-proof blankets,
with helmeted salvage corps firemen
clinging to the handrails.

Over here it's something else again.
Salvage means repair, reclama-
tion, saving.

There will be bath stations just
back of the front and each emerging
battalion will have its "bath parade"
on coming out. As they enter the
building the Sammies will discard
their duds—jackets, breeches, shoes,
socks, shirts and underwear. They
will go through the baths and come
out in another room to find clean, dry
clothes and sound shoes waiting for
them.

Meantime the salvage folk will have
gathered up the discarded clothing.
First off, every garment will go thru
the "de-lousing" wagon, where steam
baths will kill 'em.

Next the garments are piled into
freight cars which come up to the
line with supplies and otherwise
might go back empty. At the base
the Uncle Sam laundry thoroughly
launders every garment and sends
them on to other departments in the
same plant for inspection and repair.

If a garment has been repaired
several times before, most likely it
will go into the discard. Otherwise
it will be patched and sent forward
for the next man who comes out, wet,
muddy and craving to be clean again.

MICHIGAN-TAG COMPANY
APPEALS CASE WON BY
ARTHUR BILBROUGH

The Michigan Tag company on
Tuesday appealed the case in which
Arthur Bilbrough was given a judgment
of \$63.90.

The case was over the dispute of
money that was loaned.

KEEP LOOKING YOUNG

It's Easy—If You Know Dr.
Edwards' Olive Tablets

The secret of keeping young is to feel
young—to do this you must watch your
liver and bowels—there's no need of
having a sallow complexion—dark rings
under your eyes—pimples—a bilious
look in your face—dull eyes with no
sparkle. Your doctor will tell you ninety
per cent of all sickness comes from in-
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Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician
in Ohio, perfected a vegetable com-
pound mixed with olive oil to act on
the liver and bowels, which he gave to
his patients for years.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute
for calomel, are gentle in their action
yet always effective. They bring about
that exuberance of spirit, that natural
buoyancy which should be enjoyed by
everyone, by toning up the liver and clearing
the system of impurities.

You will know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets
by their olive color. 10c and 25c per
box. All druggists.

DRUGS EXCITE YOUR
KIDNEYS, USE SALTS

If your Back is aching or Bladder
bothers, drink lots of water
and eat less meat.

When your kidneys hurt and your back
feels sore, don't get scared and proceed
to load your stomach with a lot of drugs
that excite the kidneys and irritate the
entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys
clean like you keep your bowels clean,
by flushing them with a mild, harmless
salty which removes the body's urinous
waste and stimulates them to their normal
activity. The function of the kidneys
is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they
strain from it 600 grains of acid
and waste, so we can readily understand
the vital importance of keeping the kidneys
active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink
too much; also get from any pharmacist
about four ounces of "Fad Salts"; take
a tablespoonful in a glass of water
before breakfast each morning for a few
days and your kidneys will act fine.

This famous salt is made from the
acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined
with lithia, and has been used for genera-
tions to clean and stimulate clogged kid-
neys; also to neutralize the acids in
urine so it no longer is a source of irri-
tation, thus ending bladder weakness.

"Fad Salts" is in fact, cannot in-
jure; makes a delightful effervescent
lithia-water drink which everyone should
take now and then to keep their kid-
neys clean and active. Try this, also
keep up the water drinking, and no
doubt you will wonder what became of
your kidney trouble and backache.

TUTTLE HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Fuller entertain-
ed at six o'clock dinner last Wednes-
day in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy
McCartney who were married that
afternoon. Mrs. McCartney, formerly
Miss Cora Liverman, was at-
tended by Miss Ethel Cook and both
were attired in Copenhagen blue ta-
feta with georgette trimmings. Benj.
Roberts of Adrian acted as best man.
Mr. and Mrs. McCartney will be at
home to their friends after Feb. 1
on a farm near Tuttle Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Brien and the
Misses Gertrude and Genevieve O'-
Brien were guests Sunday of Mr. and
Mrs. Charles Meade of Ypsilanti.

Stanley Samonek has been entertain-
ing his brother from Camp Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson
and daughter Ruth, were guests Sun-
day of Mr. and Mrs. John Jones.

David Penn of the M. A. C. was a
week end guest of his cousin, Clyde
Breining.

John Ryan of Detroit has been
spending several days with his moth-
er, Mrs. Ellen Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Youngs and
daughter Marian, who have been
spending several days with Mrs.
Rachel Tuttle, returned home Mon-
day evening.

Walter Fuller and sister, Miss Let-
tie Fuller, spent Sunday with their
parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fuller
near Mooreville.

Mrs. Adam Filant and two child-
ren are spending several days with
relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gotts and
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shepherd were in
Detroit Monday to attend the funeral
of their cousin, Dr. Erwin Ashley.

Mrs. Louisa Youngs is spending
the week with her son, Leo Youngs,
in Ypsilanti.

Friends' Christian Endeavor busi-
ness meeting and also the monthly
church meeting will be held Friday
evening at the home of Clyde Breining.

Leland Gorton was a dinner guest
Sunday of George Boutell.

SOCIETY NEWS

Calendar for Thursday, Jan. 24
Daughters of Veterans, 7:30 p. m., G. A. R. hall.
Maccabee social, 7:30 p. m., Maccabee hall.
Methodist Foreign Missionary society, 2:30 p. m., dues paying day.
Epiphany Tea, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. John Lamb.
Congregational Home and Foreign Missionary divisions, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. M. G. Wood.
Lutheran Sunday school teachers, 7 p. m., Luther Home.

Have Sleighing Party

A number of seventh grade pupils of the Central school enjoyed a sleigh ride party Tuesday evening with Miss Gwendoline Staib as chaperone. The young people were later guests of Letty Staib at his home on North Hamilton street, where refreshments were served.

New Officers Installed

The following are the newly elected officers of the Westminster Circle who were installed at a meeting held Monday evening at the home of Miss Olga Lurkins: Miss Dorothy Murdock, president; Miss Helen Perry,

vice president; Miss Olga Lurkins, secretary; Miss Virginia Paton, treasurer. Mrs. Milton Webb was in charge of the devotionals, after which a fine letter from Miss Gertrude Peet, Ypsilanti missionary in Teheran, Persia, was read. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. M. H. Webb.

Mrs. Webb Hostess

Mrs. Milton H. Webb was hostess Tuesday evening at a 6 o'clock dinner which was given in honor of Mrs. W. L. McCullough whose birthday was celebrated. Covers were laid for seven.

Spencer Literary Club

The Spencer Literary club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. George Tedder.

Aid Election Thursday

Election of officers will occur at the meeting of the Stony Creek Crescent Aid society which will be held all day Thursday, Jan. 31 at the home of Mrs. Eugene Wilson.

Gleaners in Superior Hall

Washtenaw Arbor of Gleaners will meet this evening in Superior hall when a report will be given by Mrs. James Court, delegate to the biennial convention of the Gleaners held Jan. 9-10 and 11 in Kalamazoo.

High School Evening

The Epworth League will keep open house at W. W. Vernon's, 801 Congress street, west, Friday evening. The high school students are special guests of this social affair. A part of the evening's program will be furnished by the High School Glee club and the orchestra.

Prof. Delivan Parks, head of the commercial department in the Fort Wayne, Ind., high school was a guest Tuesday of Prof. George R. Cain of Cleary College.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schmid and daughter, Florence returned to Detroit Tuesday after a visit at the home of the Misses Eda and Clara Schmid.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Pore spent Tuesday in Detroit.

Mrs. Clifford Goldsmith was a Detroit visitor Tuesday. She went to see her young nephew, the day old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kirsten.

Miss Margaret Vivian was the guest on Tuesday of Mrs. Irwin Earl in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. John Connor spent Tuesday in Detroit.

Miss Vera Keyton is spending the week with relatives and friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Wm. Lister is on the sick list.

John G. Lamb is visiting relatives at Belding and Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tuttle and children have moved from Jackson to this city and are located in the Southard residence, 311 Ballard St.

Miss Emma Miller is in Lansing, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Guy Sage.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Schmidt, Jr., and daughter, Florence returned to Detroit Tuesday from a few days' visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crist and daughter, Betty, are spending some time in Chicago, on business.

Miss Elizabeth Glanfield of Detroit was in the city over Sunday.

Mrs. S. C. Warner left last week for their future home at Springfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. James Atwood of Toledo, O., are visiting Mrs. Atwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woolsey of River street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hankinson were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Allmendinger, of Dearborn.

Justice D. Z. Curtiss is in Lansing today on business.

YPSILANTIANS WRITE THAT COAL SITUATION IN LANSING IS WORSE THAN HERE

Word was received Tuesday from Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Townsend at Lansing that the coal situation in that city is very much worse than it is here, that many families are absolutely without coal and unable to get any kind of fuel.

Several, including the Townsends have been forced to move to the homes of neighbors.

PRaises RED CROSS FOR THE WORK THEY DO

HARRY VAN CAMP WRITES THAT WARM KNITTED GARMENTS ARE WELCOME GIFTS TO BOYS IN CAMP

The following letter has been received from Harry Van Camp and emphasizes the splendid work the Red Cross is doing for the boys in camp:

"Camp Custer, Jan. 20, 1918.

"Mr. John Burtis:

"I received your letters sometime ago, I have been unable to answer same as we have been quarantined for measles, since Jan. 1, and I was unfortunate enough not to have any stamps on hand so was obliged to

wait until I could get some, which was yesterday.

"We had a terrible snow storm here a week ago last Saturday and Sunday but we were kept warm in the barracks and when we were obliged to go outside we put on the helmets given us by the Red Cross and believe me they have done a wonderful work for the soldiers, and we were warm, except a few frosted noses and I presume you did that at home, so you see we are well cared for here.

"I sincerely appreciate you're offering to get me things, but honest, I don't know a thing that I want or need, and if the time comes that I do I will feel free to let you know.

"Sincerely yours,

"VAN."

PUPILS OF CRIPPEN SCHOOL ARE CONFINED WITH DISEASE LIKE MEASLES

Pupils in the Crippen district school in Superior township are having experiences with a contagious disease which has not been diagnosed but is believed to be measles.

LOCAL BREVITIES

rummage and bake sale to have been held this week in the temple, has been postponed indefinitely.

Temple Closing Blocks Sale

Because of the closing edict by the Masonic Temple officials the O. E. S.

Mrs. Parish Ill

Mrs. Charles Parrish of East Michigan avenue is critically ill.

Take Advantage

of our 20 percent discount on L. Adler Bro. & Co. and Clothcraft Clothing.

We are modest in saying that there is no better clothing made than turned out by Adler's of Rochester. There is other clothing just as good but none better. 20 per cent discount means a saving to you.

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"Wearever" Hot Water Bottles



Moulded in one piece, Without Seams or Bindings to Leak.

They're sure to give you maximum service or we couldn't guarantee them \$1.00 and up. Syringe attachments separate.

Haig Pharmacy

Phone 86

Opposite Post Office

Applying Conservation to Clothes Buying—

Conservation is the cry of the nation and that means applying it to clothes as well as wheat, meat, and other things.

As we see it; the efficient way to conserve in clothes is to buy good clothes--clothes that will deliver long service. Happily

KUPPENHEIMER CLOTHES

have always been built that way. They offer an all-around combination of quality, style and fabric value that is unsurpassed.

If you have \$22.50, \$25, \$25, \$30 or more to spend for a suit or overcoat, we have some pleasant surprises awaiting you.



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"The Kuppenheimer House in Ypsilanti"

You Wanta See The NASH Car at the Detroit Auto Show

After seeing the Nash at the show call at the Newton Motor Sales, corner of Michigan Ave. and Adams Street for a practical demonstration.

Garage and Sales room open about February 1st

Newton Motor Sales

Ypsilanti

AT THE SHOW

Also See the "Nash" Truck

Equipped with automatic locking device, electric lights and starter. One and two ton rear drive truck and the famous "Nash" Quads